Great Salt Lake Advisory Council Meeting September 30, 2008

Utah Division of Wildlife Resources

- 1. What are your agencies regulatory or administrative responsibilities to the lake?
 - Protect, conserve and allocate the wildlife resources of the lake
 - Regulate hunting conducted on and around the lake
 - Regulate harvesting of brine shrimp and eggs at the lake
 - Conduct research of the lakes wildlife which guides management
 - Manage state owned wildlife management areas around the lake
- 2. What statutory or regulatory rules does your agency abide by?
 - Utah Code Annotated, Title 23
 - Rule R657-15 Management of Gunnison and Hat Islands
 - Rule R657-52 Commercial Harvesting of Brine Shrimp and Brine Shrimp Eggs
- 3. What are your revenue sources?
 - Restricted dollars- revenues from hunting and fishing licenses and permits
 - Federal Aid- revenues from excise taxes on fishing and hunting equipment
 - Dedicated credits- revenues from partners to assist with programs
 - General Fund dollars
 - The Great Salt Lake Ecosystem Program is funded predominantly by revenues from permits to commercially harvest brine shrimp